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(57) Abstract: The present invention concerns a method for modifying the growth characteristics of a plant relative to corresponding wild type plants, comprising modifying expression in a plant of a seedyl nucleic acid and/or modifying the level and/or activity in a plant of a seedyl protein. The invention also concerns novel constructs and novel seedyl nucleic acid and protein sequences.